Double-Pane Window Fog Repair Checklist

A quick checklist to spot window fog, reduce moisture, and maintain clear, comfortable windows.



Safety & Preparation

Description	Yes	No	N/A	Notes
Wear gloves and eye protection before starting				
Clear area around the window of furniture or decor				
Have tools ready (hair dryer, dehumidifier, screwdriver, sealant)				
Inspect frame and caulking for visible cracks or gaps				

Temporary DIY Moisture Reduction

Description	Yes	No	N/A	Notes
Run a dehumidifier near the foggy window				
Warm glass gently with a hair dryer to reduce surface moisture				
Improve room ventilation (open doors or windows)				
Wipe window surfaces and clean nearby sills to remove excess moisture				

Inspection for Seal Failure

Description	Yes	No	N/A	Notes
Check if fog or water droplets are inside the panes				
Look for cloudy or milky streaks that don’t wipe off				
Notice temperature changes or drafts near the glass				
Identify persistent fogging in bathrooms or kitchens				

Professional Repair Recommendation

Description	Yes	No	N/A	Notes
Moisture returns after cleaning or drying attempts				
Frame shows warping, corrosion, or damage				
IGU (insulated glass unit) seal visibly failed				
Ready to schedule inspection with Apex Window Werks				

Maintenance to Prevent Future Fogging

Description	Yes	No	N/A	Notes
Maintain indoor humidity between 30–50%				
Use exhaust fans in kitchen/bathroom regularly				
Clean window drainage channels every few months				
Inspect caulking and seals annually for wear				